



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: **Mark B. Lyles**  
Serial Number: **09/817,009**  
Filed: **March 24, 2001**  
Group Art Unit: **1639**  
Examiner: **Epperson, Jon D.**  
Title: **HIGH THROUGHPUT SCREENING ARRAY  
CONTAINING POROUS MATERIAL**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2005 Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments set forth below and requests favorable action thereon.

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.